

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Louis Robert Litwin et al.  
Serial No.: 10/612,310  
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For : Method and Apparatus for Frequency-Robust Detection Of A  
Wideband Code Division Multiple Access Secondary Synchronization  
Channel  
Examiner: Eva Puente  
Art Unit: 2611

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of December 10, 2008, for which a shortened statutory period of three months for response ending March 10, 2009 was provided, and for which pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), a one-month extension, ending April 10, 2009 is hereby requested, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Please charge the required fee of one hundred and thirty dollars (\$130.00) for extending the time for a response within the second month after the original response date, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(b) to Deposit Account 07-0832.

The present response is being electronically transmitted on April 9, 2009 and, therefore, it is respectfully submitted that this response is timely.

**Listing/Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.